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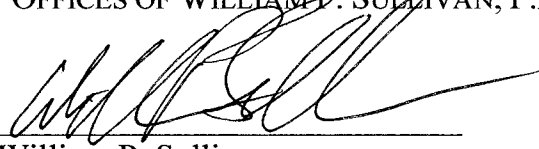
NAVOPACHE ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE,
INC.'S CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE
WITH PUBLIC NOTICE REQUIREMENTS

Navopache Electric Cooperative, Inc. by and through undersigned counsel, hereby
files Certification of Compliance with Public Notice Requirements established by Procedural
Order dated December 3, 2015. This Certification is supported by the Affidavits of
Publication attached hereto.

DATED this 1st day of February, 2016.

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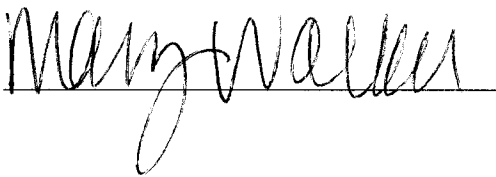
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White Mountain Independent

I, Sally Moreno being first duly sworn, depose and say: I am the agent of the White Mountain Publishing Company, publisher of the White Mountain Independent, a semi-weekly newspaper of general circulation published at Show Low, County of Navajo, Arizona and that the copy hereto attached is a true copy of the advertisement as published in the White Mountain Independent on the following date(s):

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January 26, 2016



White Mountain Independent

Sally Moreno

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January 26, 2016 A.D.

Jenna Troutt
Notary Public

In 2014, the Arizona Corporation Commission ("Commission") opened Docket No. E-00000J-14-0023 to conduct a generic investigation on the cost to serve customers with distributed generation ("DG") (e.g., solar) and the value of DG. In response to certain proposals by Arizona Public Service Company to address the cost of DG and net metering, the Commission has directed an evidentiary hearing be held under its generic docket. The Commission expects to produce a factual record relating to various specific proposals based on cost of service studies and the value of distributed generation related to specific Arizona electric public service corporations. Arizona electric public service corporations are not required to actively participate and many do not plan to do so. However, the Commission has ordered all Arizona electric public service corporations provide notice of the evidentiary hearing because the Commission believes the factual record created in the generic docket might be shown to be relevant and admissible for use by the Commission when asked to authorize rates (such as net metering tariffs) for individual Arizona electric public service corporations. This notice is provided to comply with the Commission's order to provide public notice of the hearing. **All questions regarding this notice should be directed to the Commission's Consumer Services Section at 602-542-4251 or 1-800-222-7000 (outside the metro Phoenix area).**

PUBLIC NOTICE OF GENERIC HEARING
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Arizona Corporation Commission Public Hearing Information

The Commission will hold a hearing on this matter beginning **April 18, 2016, at 10:00 a.m. in Hearing Room No. 1**, at the Commission's offices, 1200 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona, 85007.

Comments from the public will be heard and recorded on the first day of hearing. Intervention is not required if you wish to provide public comments, either orally at the hearing or in writing at any time.

Written public comments may be submitted by mailing a letter referencing *Docket No. E-00000J-14-0023* to Arizona Corporation Commission, Consumer Services Section, 1200 West Washington, Phoenix, AZ 85007, or by submitting comments on the Commission's website (www.azcc.gov) using the "Submit a Public Comment for a Utility" function. If you require assistance, you may contact the Consumer Services Section at 602-542-4251 or 1-800-222-7000 (outside the metro Phoenix area).

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All requests to intervene must contain the following:

1. Your name, address, and telephone number, and the name, address, and telephone number of any person upon whom service of documents is to be made, if not yourself;
2. A reference to **Docket No. E-00000J-14-0023**;
3. A short statement explaining your interest in the proceeding; and
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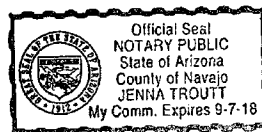
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